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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Re Application of: J. McCULLOUGH et al.

Application No: 09/722,471

Group Art Unit: 1614

Filed: November 28, 2000

Examiner: R. Cook

For: METHODS AND COMPOSITIONS FOR
TREATING NICOTINE ADDICTION AND
AIDING IN SMOKING CESSATION USING
OPTICALLY PURE (-)-BUPROPION

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AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated November 2, 2001 and the Advisory Action dated April 16, 2002, Applicants submit the following amendment and remarks for entry into the file of the above-identified application. Applicants concurrently submit a Request for Continued Examination, requesting that the Examiner consider the amendment and remarks submitted herewith. Also submitted is a Petition for Extension of Time, with provisions for the required fee, to extend the period of response to the Office Action for one (1) additional month, from April 2, 2002, to and including May 2, 2002.